

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
TAMPA DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

**CHARLES ANDREW FOWLER,
a/k/a "Man"**

**CASE NO. 8:07-CR-
18 U.S.C. § 1512(a)(1)(C)
18 U.S.C. § 1512(a)(3)(A)
18 U.S.C. § 1111 and 2
18 U.S.C. § 924(c)(1)(A)
18 U.S.C. § 924(j)(1)**

INDICTMENT

The Grand Jury charges:

COUNT ONE

On or about March 3, 1998, in the Middle District of Florida, the defendant,

**CHARLES ANDREW FOWLER,
a/k/a "Man,"**

with malice aforethought, did unlawfully, willfully, deliberately, maliciously, and with premeditation, kill Haines City Police Officer Christopher Todd Horner, by shooting Officer Horner in the head with a handgun, which killing is murder as defined by Title 18, United States Code, Section 1111, with the intent to prevent the communication by Officer Horner to a law enforcement officer or judge of the United States of information relating to the commission or possible commission of a federal offense, namely that:

(1) Associates of **CHARLES ANDREW FOWLER, a/k/a "Man,"** had earlier that morning robbed at gunpoint a Holiday Inn located in Dundee, Florida, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951;

(2) **CHARLES ANDREW FOWLER, a/k/a "Man,"** and others had conspired to, and were conspiring to rob a bank later that morning, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 2113 and 371;

(3) **CHARLES ANDREW FOWLER, a/k/a "Man,"** and others had conspired to, and were conspiring to rob a bank later that morning, in violation of 18, United States Code, Section 1951;

(4) An associate of **CHARLES ANDREW FOWLER, a/k/a "Man,"** having previously been convicted of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, did knowingly possess a firearm which had been transported in interstate commerce in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g);

(5) **CHARLES ANDREW FOWLER, a/k/a "Man,"** and others knowingly and intentionally possessed cocaine, a controlled substance, in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 844(a); and,

(6) **CHARLES ANDREW FOWLER, a/k/a "Man,"** and others knowingly and intentionally possessed marijuana, a controlled substance, in violation of 21, United States Code, Section 844(a)

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1512(a)(1)(C), 1512(a)(3)(A), 1111, and 2.

COUNT TWO

On or about March 3, 1998, in the Middle District of Florida, the defendant,

**CHARLES ANDREW FOWLER,
a/k/a "Man,"**

knowingly used and carried a firearm, during and in relation to a crime of violence for

which he may be prosecuted in a court of the United States, to wit: conspiracy to commit robbery, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951, and conspiracy to commit bank robbery, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 2113 and 371, and in the course of using and carrying said firearm, unlawfully, willfully, deliberately, maliciously, and with premeditation and malice aforethought, did kill Haines City Police Officer Christopher Todd Horner, by shooting Officer Horner with a firearm, which killing is murder as defined in Title 18, United States Code, Section 1111.

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 924(c)(1)(A), 924(j)(1) and 1111(a) and 2.

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Foreperson

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